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**GENERAL AFFIDAVIT**

State of Illinois  
County of St. Clair

BEFORE ME, the undersigned Notary, Sheila Woodcock

*[name of Notary before whom affidavit is sworn],*

on this 23 *[day of month]* day of March, 2011, personally appeared Theresa Garcia, known to me to be a credible person and of lawful age, who being by me first duly sworn, on her oath, deposes and says:

Theresa Garcia Ministries, Inc., a Non Profit Organization, petitions the FCC for exemption from Closed Captioning rules based upon the undue burden clause. Theresa Garcia Ministries produces a weekly ½ hour television program that airs on several Christian TV stations in the United States. The cost of closed captioning would present us with a significant cost which the ministry would not be able to incur. This would severely impact the operation and could limit our ability to air in the future on TV as our financial resources are extremely limited and almost completely budgeted for the purchase of TV airtime.

Theresa Garcia Ministries broadcasts a faith based TV program to a primarily Christian audience. The ministry has not made a prophet since its inception five years ago. We do provide alternatives by placing biblical text in the bottom portion of the screen during programs.

We kindly petition the FCC and seek the exemption based upon the multiple financial factors that would make it difficult to continue airing the TV program.

Theresa Garcia  
*[signature of affiant]*

Theresa Garcia

653 D Road

Columbia, IL 62236

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

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[day of month] day of March, 2011.

[Notary Seal:]

**"OFFICIAL SEAL"**

**SHEILA WOODCOCK**

**NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF ILLINOIS**

**MY COMMISSION EXPIRES MAY 6, 2012**

*Sheila Woodcock*

[signature of Notary]

*Sheila Woodcock*

[typed name of Notary]

NOTARY PUBLIC

My commission expires:

*May 6, 2012*

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*May 6, 2012*